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Elections carried out today without disturbances. Tonight Minister Interior hailed them as unprecedented example orderly and fair elections although acknowledging was natural expect some persons would impugn them unfair.

MDN leaders celebrating victory based on partial nationwide returns but concede they have lost Guatemala City as expected.

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